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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

In the Matter of

JON DEMATTEIS, D.D.S.

Licensed to Practice Dentistry: in the State of New Jersey :

Administrative Action

CONSENT ORDER

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry (hereinafter "the Board") upon receipt of a patient complaint from C.G. on behalf of her son D.G. The complaint alleged that Jon DeMatteis, D.D.S. (hereinafter "respondent") rendered dental treatment to D.G. which failed to conform to standard dental practice in the State of New Jersey. Specifically, C.G. alleged that respondent did not render proper orthodontic treatment to her son. On September 24, 1997, respondent appeared with counsel, Richard Abrahamsen, Esq., at an investigative inquiry into the matter held by the Board.

Having reviewed the entire record, including the testimony of respondent at the investigative inquiry, it appears to the Board that respondent failed to kept cephlometric tracings and the original x-rays, and he failed to document the patient cooperation.

These failures constitute violations pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:30-8.7.

It appearing that respondent desires to resolve this matter without recourse to formal proceedings and for good cause shown:

IT IS ON THIS & DAY OF January 1998.

HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED THAT:

Respondent shall pay a civil penalty in the amount of \$250.00 for poor record keeping. A certified check or money order made payable to the State of New Jersey shall be sent within fourteen days of the entry date of this Consent Order to Ms. Agnes Clarke, Executive Director, Board of Dentistry, 124 Halsey Street, Sixth Floor, Newark, New Jersey 07101.

2. Respondent is hereby assessed the costs of the investigation to the State in this matter in the amount of \$241.89. Payment for the costs shall be submitted by certified check or money order made payable to the State of New Jersey and submitted to the Board no later than fourteen days from the entry of the within Consent Order. Payment shall be sent to Ms. Agnes Clarke at the address stated in paragraph one.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

Valentine Bloch, D.D.S.

President

I have read and understand the within Consent Order and agree to be bound by its terms. Consent is hereby given to the Board to enter this Order.

Jon DeMatteis, D.D.S.